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In re Patent Application of)
Jose-Carlos Araujo-Da-SILVA et al.) Group Art Unit: 1714
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Filing Date: December 11, 2003) Confirmation No.: 8520
Title: RUBBER COMPOSITION FOR A TIRE)
COMPRISING A COUPLING AGENT)
HAVING A POLYTHIOSULFENAMIDE)
FUNCTION)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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